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BUCKLING IN BPSG BY  
USING AN INTERMEDIATE  
BARRIER LAYER

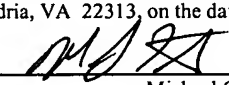
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Official Action mailed on August 23, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the remarks set forth below